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**GOING WITH THE FLOW:** The Minden Wild Water Preserve was alive with activity this past weekend as paddlers converged on Minden for the annual Open Canoe Championships. This participant was caught on film Friday afternoon practicing his technique through the slalom course. Competitors spent Friday and Saturday getting a feel for the course, with the racing held all day Sunday. For more information and another photo, see page 9.

# 9-1-1 process moving ahead

by Jerry Grozelle

Preliminary mapping for 9-1-1 in Haliburton County has been completed. That was part of Stephen Foster's report at the August meeting of Haliburton County Council. Foster noted that there are some changes to be made and the final road naming has yet to be completed.

Foster suggested that each township form a road naming committee, which would review the names and report back to council.

The county has 101 property owners' associations and Foster's assistants had contacted 90 of those associations as of late August. "Things aren't going as smoothly as we had hoped regarding contact with the lake associations," he said. "But we have come a long way."

Foster expressed the concern about roads that are named after a resident. He said there could be conflicts which could result in delays in the process.

"There will be conflicts," he said. "That's part of the reason for forming road naming committees."

Foster admits that the process is not

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**ENTHUSIASTIC PERFORMANCE:** The final Music by the Gull conert was held August 31 on South Water Street in Minden. The Gentlemen of Song, under the direction of Marg Jeske, were featured, along with Womyn Out Loud, an all female choral group from Haliburton. As the photos above demonstrate, Marg, with accompanist Elsie Lewis, is an enthusiastic conductor who works hard to encourage the all male chorus. At several points in the performance, the director invited the audience to sing along with the group. Music by the Gull was organized by Lori Reddering and Glenn Carter, with the help of volunteers and financial support from the Minden Lions Club

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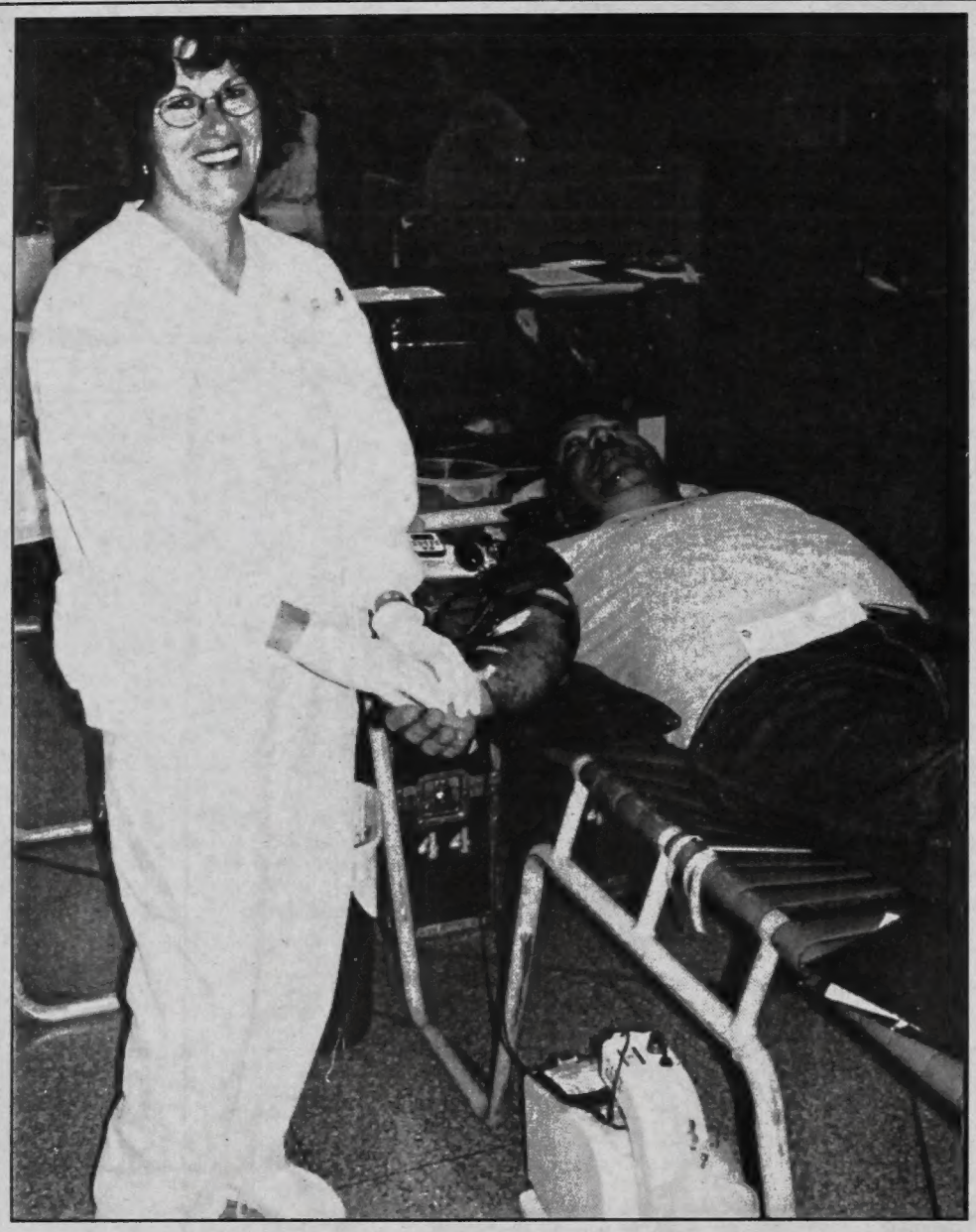


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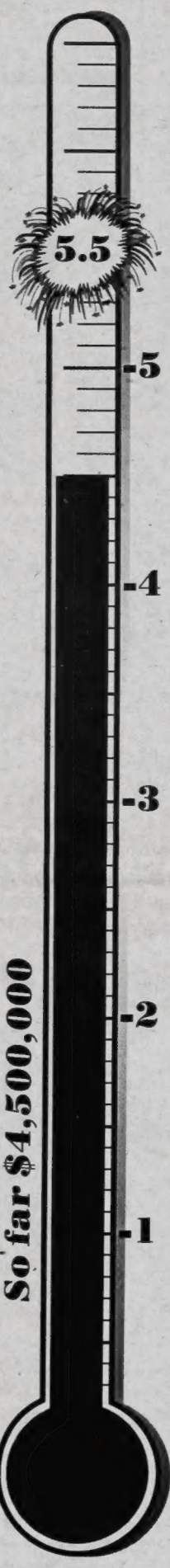


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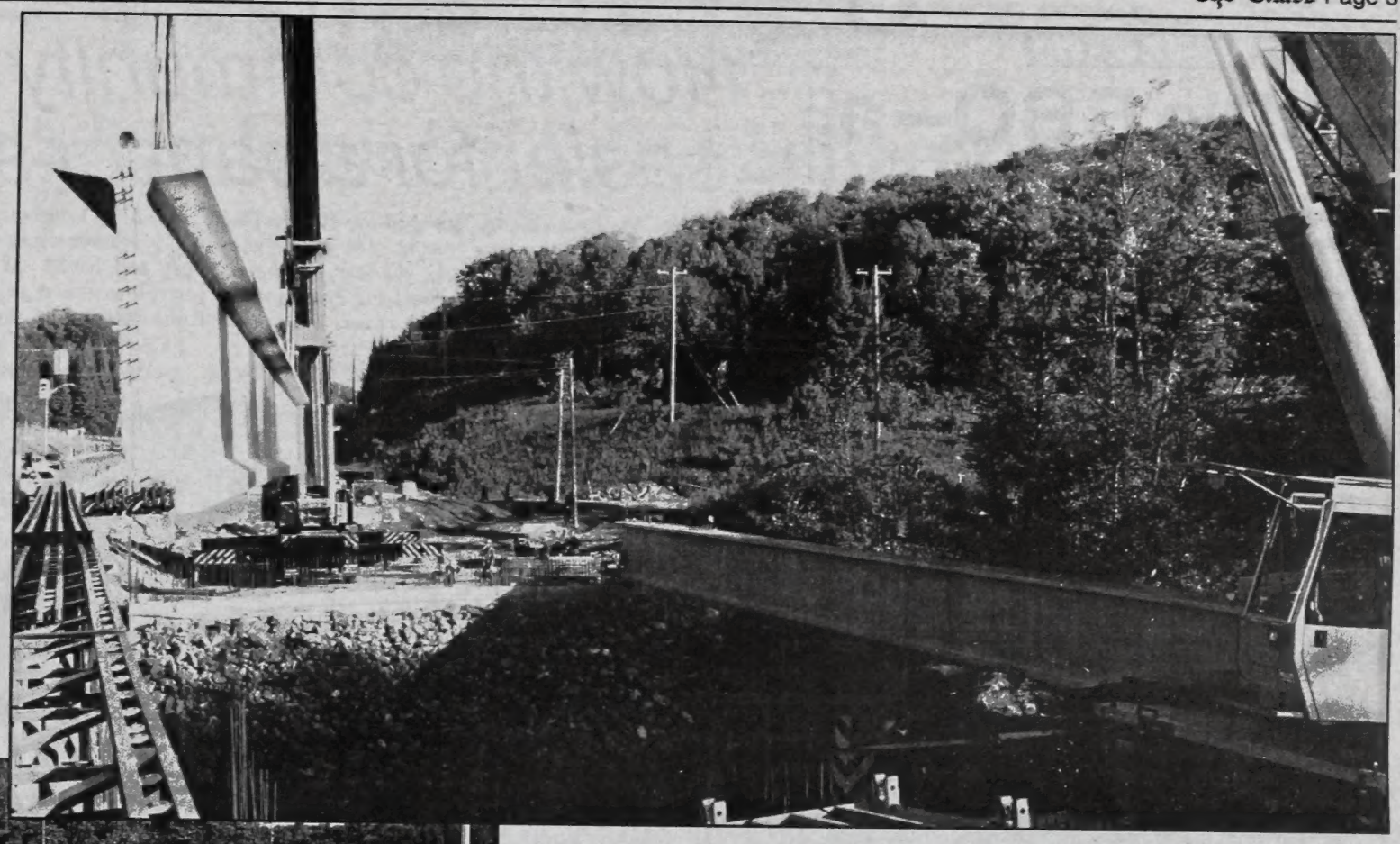

# HHHS Foundation can see light at end of the tunnel

There may be another million dollars to be raised, but the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation is confident it can retire the outstanding debt. The optimism was reflected at the organization's annual meeting held August 30 at the Haliburton Hospital.

Donations to the Foundation have increased in the last fiscal year. "It is most gratifying to report the net revenue for the year April 2000 to March 2001 was $722,00, an increase over the previous year," Foundation chair Gord Monk reported as he addressed the annual meeting of the organization.

The chairman noted, in his remarks, that the administrative expenses were also lower, which meant that more of the funds raised could be directed to the Capital Campaign target of $5.5 million.

Despite his optimistic outlook, the chairman also cautioned that collecting the last million could be the most difficult. "We have a tough year ahead of us," he commented.

Monk noted that the County of Haliburton is supporting the efforts of the Foundation by paying the interest on the loan which has been taken out to cover the capital cost of the new construction. "The county has certainly been supportive and we thank it," Monk said.

The chair noted that there is still one million dollars in capital debt to be retired. "We have developed a business plan to assist us in reaching our goals and objectives. The special gift committee is now in place and excellent brochures are available to explain how the program works and the immediate benefits the donor may take advantage of in tax savings." He noted that the Foundation will continue with its annual fund-raising projects including the golf tournament, the Gala din-

*(more on page 17)*

# Missing snake found dead

Residents in the village of Minden concerned about a missing snake can relax.

According to the son of the owner of a missing four foot Burmese python, the snake has died and been buried.

The son of Sean and Amy Lowney said the snake escaped from their home on Prince Street, next to the firehall two weeks ago. The municipal by-law officer was informed as word spread throughout the area that the snake was on the loose.

The owners of the snake said the reptile could not survive in the wild, particularly if the temperatures dropped. The son said he found the remains of the snake on the nearby hill and that he had buried what was left of the snake.

A spokesman for the municipality said the owners had been told that there is a by-law prohibiting "exotic animals" in the townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden. The former municipalities of Snowdon and Lutterworth, now part of Minden Hills, do not have such restrictions.

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*Gull Lake POA AGM*

# A little BBQ-- a little business

**Special to The Times, by Ariel White**

The Gull Lake Property Owner's Association knows how to run a meeting. More barbecue, less business. This year's incarnation of the annual end of summer meeting was a leisurely social hour, followed by the business at hand by the shores of Gull Lake at Kilcoo Camp.

### Charitable organization

The association kicked off the formal part of the meeting by presenting a cheque, from the membership, to John Latimer of Kilcoo Camp for AMICI Camping Charity, a charitable foundation that provides funding for underprivileged campers.

### Gull looks at options to fight the enemy

Paul Bernard, president of the Gull Lake Property Owners Association shared some important information on what could potentially become a plague of tent caterpillars on Gull Lake next summer.

Bernard told the membership that his contacts at the Minden office of the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR) have told him that next year could be a particularly bad season for these insects. The association is looking at ways to address this issue, including the use of a spray that contains Bacillus thuringiensis (Bt). Bernard says this is a safe material that kills the caterpillars but does not harm other families of animals. "We want to deal with this the best way we can," said Bernard. He stressed that nothing would be done if the membership did not agree. A survey of members will take place through the Gull Lake POA newsletter to determine what actions the membership wishes to take.

### Transfer station preferred

Bernard explained that the life of the Little Gull waste disposal site is quickly coming to an end, but the possibility of it becoming a transfer site could be an acceptable solution for Gull Lake cottagers. "We are pushing for this as an option," he said. It would be inconvenient for property owners on Gull Lake to travel north to other sites in Minden Hills, so a transfer station for waste and recycling would be a preferred option.

***(more on page 19)***

# How the community made it easier for a cancer survivor

*Serveral years ago Rown Lougheed of Minden received the bad news: she had cancer. The news was devastating. While coping with the disease has been a challenge, she has also discovered the community as a whole has been extremely important and supportive during her ongoing battle.*

*We asked Rawn, as a cancer survivor, to share some of her thoughts about the impact the disease has had on her life.*

Small towns have so much to offer, but it wasn't until the last two years that I realize just how much.

This community is a wonderful place to live and to watch your children grow up. And like most small towns, the people in it have good hearts; when someone is in need they are there. I don't believe you get that in the larger centres anymore. And I was fortunate enough to have had the pleasure of knowing this kindness first-hand.

Over two years ago, I heard the life-changing words "it's cancer" and my life was changed forever. I truly believe that I wouldn't have been able to beat this horrid disease without the overwhelming support of my family, friends and my community.

If I had to make a list of all those people who came to visit, sent me cards and/or flowers (or who brought them from their own gardens), who cooked, brought or bought meals for me and my family, who sent 'feel-good' products and gift certificates, took care of my children, did my laundry, prayed for me, continuously gave me inspiration (regardless of their own busy lives), or who just took that couple of minutes to phone or stop me in the street to ask "how are you doing?", well I would need a whole edition of The Times to cover everyone on that list.

How does one say thank you to that kind of support and love? It is overwhelming. And it just proves to me that when we all stand together and fight we can win the war against cancer.

CANCER CAN BE BEATEN!

And this community was instrumental in making that happen. You did make a difference and I now thank you; although thank you just doesn't seem enough.

***Sincerely, with gratitude;***
***Rawn Lougheed, survivour.***

*Rawn is a supporter of the annual Terry Fox Run. She and members of her family have been participants, not only because of her personal experience, but also in recognition of the fact there are many in our community who have fought the same fight she has, some losing the battle, but others proudly proclaiming themselves to be "cancer survivors".*

*The annual Terry Fox Run takes place Sunday, September 16. Pledge sheets are available at various locations throughout the community, including the banks, grocery stores, The Times and other businesses. Those who can run, walk, cycle, in-line skate (or whatever means of locomotion they choose) are urged to take part. Those who can't take part can help by supporting the participants with pledges.*

*The Minden Terry Fox Run begins at 9 a.m. at the Minden Community Centre; or 10 a.m. at the town dock in Haliburton; or 2 p.m. at the Gooderham Community Centre. All the proceeds will go toward cancer research.*

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The merger has brought together hundreds of branches, thousands of employees and millions of customers. All our retail branches, our telephone and Internet banking services have been integrated, as have all our products and services. Our two operations are now one, from coast to coast.

### The Best Of Both Worlds

With our integration, the names "TD Bank" and "Canada Trust" will not be passing into history. Instead, they'll anchor our new brand name, "*TD Canada Trust*", combining the best elements of both organizations and continuing the values and practices that have made each of them the financial institution of choice for so many Canadians.

### Our Employees Made The Merger A Success

When we announced the merger two years ago, we re-committed to treat our employees with dignity, respect, and above all, fairness. Since then, they have gone the extra mile, taking extra training and enduring disruptions to their work and lives to ensure that any inconvenience to our customers would be kept to an absolute minimum. **Our employees are extraordinarily skilled, flexible and loyal, and they have earned high praise and thanks from all of us. I personally thank each and every one of our employees for their contributions.**

### Our Biggest Thanks Goes To You

**I also want to thank you, our valued customer, for your patience and understanding** during this first critical phase of our merger. We made some mistakes along the way. Any initiative this complex in a country this vast could never be glitch-free. But I hope we have resolved any issues quickly, completely – and cheerfully.

As we move forward in creating the best retail bank in Canada, let me say again how much we appreciate your business and how hard we are working to keep it.

### Improving On Business As Usual

Right from the start of the merger, we made a number of commitments. We extended our hours, expanded our ABM access, temporarily froze our fees for some services and eliminated them entirely for others. We did this for the main reason we brought our two institutions together: to build a bank that would not only look after your money, but look after you as well.

We made some other promises back in 1999: to keep in touch regularly; to let you know well in advance of any changes to your accounts or your branch; and to respect your good standing, ensuring that your banking history will be recognized as our two operations became one.

We also promised that we would minimize the impact of our branch consolidations. Our goal is to deliver the most convenient access for our customers with the least impact on our employees. To that end, some branches must be consolidated or relocated. This process began in March of this year and will continue until 2003.

We are also going to be opening new branches, including free-standing branches, as well as ones located in retail stores across the country.

### Building A Better Bank – The Next Chapter

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Thank you again.

Ed Clark
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Editorial

# Special rates

While some may see a degree of merit in introducing a special tax rate for the seasonal use of some property in the Highlands, we also believe the issue should be approached with a great deal of caution. The idea of a special rate for those who only use their recreational property on a part-time basis was raised at the annual general meeting of the Gull Lake Property Owners Association September 1.

The idea naturally has appeal to those who own cottage property, particularly those who have experienced an increase in their taxes because of reassessment. That reassessment process has likely resulted in increases in property values and a corresponding increase in taxes, even within a municipality where the budget has been held in check.

Cottages, by their very nature, are generally not used on a full-time basis. It is not too big a leap to suggest that since the property is vacant for a large part of the year and the owners are not consuming municipal services, they should pay less than those occupied on a year-round basis. While this position appears to have some merit, what it fails to recognize is that much of the infrastructure supported by municipal tax dollars must be built and maintained for maximum use. For example, a prudent municipality will purchase road maintenance or fire fighting equipment to meet the needs of all its residents, even though some may only realize the benefits for a couple of months a year. The cost is a year-round expense to ensure the services are there when needed.

Another problem in assigning special rates for seasonal property owners is in defining the seasonal use. In fact most new cottages have been built for use at any time of the year. While there is a question of access in many cases, the fact remains that cottages are no longer just May to October destinations. As well, recent studies have shown that many cottage owners plan to retire to their cottage in the near future. The question of assessing a value for use of services over a six month period for example could become extremely complex and result in a never-ending battle between the seasonal property owner and the municipality.

Seasonal property owners are well represented on most Haliburton County municipal councils. Their appeals for greater restraint are being heard on a regular basis. We do not feel that the introduction of a seasonal tax rate will accomplish anything more than to create increased animosity confusion, and complexity in a system that is already convoluted enough.

jb

Letters

# *9-1-1 process insensitive to local traditions*

**Editor:**

The 9-1-1 project in Haliburton County is a welcome advance into the new century even if we are the last county in the province to implement such an emergency service program for residents. The task of confirming identification of access roads into the hundreds of lakes requires special awareness of history, past practices and sensitivity to local knowledge. Qualities which unfortunately seem sadly lacking in the County Office of Stephen Foster, the person in charge of the project.

Before Mr. Foster was born, the Hamilton family of South Lake sold their farm on the east side of the lake to a developer. He in turn set aside a large strip of waterfront for cottages in 1948 and named the access road and community "Whispering Pines".

A dozen cottagers, their children and grandchildren have experienced for 50 years the delight of spotting the large Whispering Pines sign along Hamilton Road, which marked the end of the long trip from the city and another wonderful summer at the cottage.

Can you believe that county agent, Mr. Foster, denied further use of the name Whispering Pines on South Lake? He informed our lake association representatives that "someone had earlier requested that name for their road." He further revealed that the other party had their first choice of road denied and settled for Whispering Pines as a second choice. My, what an off hand way of naming roads.

The arbitrary decision was made obviously without sound research, without knowledge of South Lake history and without awareness of an eight foot sign on Hamilton Road designating the access road Whispering Pines-- a sign which has caught the eye of all who travelled the road for more than 40 years, including Canada Post. The formal mailing address has always included Whispering Pines and letters are delivered to the commercial mail box under the sign. The mail box has always been marked Whispering Pines.

Given such sensitive and competent oversight of the 9-1-1 project, we may well expect the Gull River access road down Main Street in Minden to be renamed Rockcliffe Boulevard instead of the historically significant Bobcaygeon Road.

**Ken Brown,**
**South Lake.**

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# Saved from a frightening ordeal

**Editor:**

I am writing this letter with the hope that it will be published because I believe it is important to share news that recognizes good Samaritans in any community. In this story, the man who needs recognition is Gary McKnight (who resides just outside Kinmount).

On September 1, my friend Barb Newman and I (both from Kitchener), decided to go canoeing on the Irondale River. We had been enjoying the weekend at a cottage and a short canoe trip was just one of the many planned activities. The canoe trip was indeed short, because the canoe suddenly rolled over, throwing both of us into the river. We were in the water for half an hour struggling with the current and calling for help.

No one heard us.

Finally, Barb and I made it to the river's edge and were able to drag ourselves out of the water. We continued to call for help as we were on the far side of the river, which was uninhabited. Still, no one heard us. Fighting the dense forest, we struggled for two hours trying to find a way out, but to no avail.

Eventually, we found an area where Barb hoped to be able to swim across in order to get help. Her success was not certain due to the cold, exhaustion and unknown waters. Just before entering the water, I saw a splash of colour from up on the highway and realized a man was riding a bicycle. We started screaming for help and he heard us.

This man, who did not identify himself, went to a nearby house for help and then rode off after ensuring that we would be saved.

A resident of the house, who later told us who he was, was a man named Gary McKnight. Gary immediately assessed our situation and then did the quickest thing possible – he went back to his house, got his own canoe and brought us individually back to the other side. During this part of the rescue, Gary was extremely sensitive to our struggles with the cold, slight shock and fear. His manner was gentle, calm and professional.

After reaching the safety of the other side, he drove us to the cottage where we were staying and then took it upon himself to find our canoe and return it to us as well. Gary presented himself as a humble man and when thanked, only responded by saying, "that's what we do in the country."

I firmly believe that if it had not been for the unknown cyclist and Gary, we would not have survived the ordeal as well as we did. Truly, Gary McKnight is a hero and should be publicly acknowledged for his selfless act of heroism. We shall not forget this Knight who saved us from a frightening ordeal. Thanks again Gary!

**Karen Reed &**
**Barb Newman**
**Kitchener.**

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Arthur Black

# A nick off the old block

Now it can be revealed - my teenage nickname, I mean.

For the last four decades I have answered to Art, Arthur, AB, Mister Black, Doctor Black and Hey You. But before that I spent most of my teenage years cringing under the nickname of Schwartz.

Why Schwartz?

Well, one of my boyhood chums discovered that not only was Schwartz the name of a manufacturer of truck mud flaps, it was also Yiddish for 'black'. The die was cast.

Schwartz I was and Schwartz I would remain until my family mercifully moved to a distant town. It could have been worse.

One of the more hapless kids in our circle was known as 'Cootie'. Another answered, not terribly keenly, to 'Mouse'. And Doug Howarth became Hogarth, Bobby Hamner became 'Hammerhead' and Harvey Becker became... Don't ask.

Nicknames can be exceedingly cruel, but my, they're popular - at least among the sadists who bestow them on the rest of us.

U.S. President Bush (nickname Dubya) is big on nicknames, saddling his underlings with monikers like 'Pancho', 'Stretch' and 'Sweet Cheeks'. Because Bush is so, well, bush-league, a lot of his nicknames carry the familiar, ugly sting of the no-class bully. He calls Mexican president Vicente Fox 'Montezuma' and refers to staff member Ari Fleischer as his 'bald Jew'.

We don't want to even guess what he calls Da Liddle Guy From Shawinigan.

Canadian politicians are no strangers to nicknames. We've had Dief the Chief, Old Velcro Lips and Joe Who.

Some politicians of course, don't last long enough to earn a nickname. Stockwell, we hardly knew ye.

Hockey players are popular targets for nicknames - The Great One, The Flower, The Big M, The Rocket.

Musicians get tagged too - Satchmo, Fats, Duke, Dizzy, BB and the incomparable Blind Lemon Jefferson. Not to mention more contemporary contributions like Snoop Doggy Dog, Puff Daddy and Eminem.

Mobsters get the best nicknames of all. It's hard to improve on Scarface Al, Tony Ducks, Sammy the Bull and Big Tuna.

But I would say the fertile crescent of creative nicknamery would have to be Canada's own Cape Breton Island. It's not a big place and the name pool is even smaller, consisting of flocks of Mcs and Macs, as befits a piece of the country populated almost exclusively by folks of the Celtic persuasion. It shouldn't be surprising, then, that down through the years, a lot of Cape Bretoners have ended up with the same surnames. What is surprising is the enterprise they show in dealing with any possible confusion.

Donald Cameron is a well-known Canadian writer, but back home in Cape Breton, he's just one of dozens of Donald Camerons. So how to tell him apart? Simple.

Donald Cameron the writer is blessed with a shock of prematurely white hair. Hence, he becomes Silver Donald Cameron. Silver Donald got off lightly. One of his fellow islanders - a miner - has one arm a little longer that the other. His nickname? Alex the Clock (Big hand, little hand - geddit?).

Then there's the Cape Breton family descended from an ancestor who loved to spend his spare time gossiping down at the corner store, where his habitual seat of choice was the top of a pickle barrel. Which is why each and every member of the family is known across the length and breadth of the island - and mostly likely for all eternity - as one of the "Pickle Arse MacLeans".

A fellow by the name of William Hazlitt once wrote that a nickname "is the hardest stone that the devil can throw at a man". And Hazlitt had never even been to Cape Breton.

# O'Reilly visits peacekeepers in Bosnia-Herzegovina

John O'Reilly, Member of Parliament, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of National Defence, has just returned from a trip to Bosnia-Herzegovina.

Along with two other Parliamentarians, Bob Kilger and Cheryl Gallant, Mr. O'Reilly went on a mission to visit Canadian Peacekeepers stationed in the region.

The group departed from Trenton, Ontario, onboard a military aircraft for an eight hour flight, on August 14, at 5:30 p.m. They arrived at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, at the Zagreb airport in Croatia. (Bosnia is seven hours ahead).

"I feel it is important to keep my constituents informed about these trips. I am pleased to offer the following details of the mission," the MP said.

After landing in Zagreb, the group travelled by Griffen helicopter to Camp Black Bear at Velika Kladusa in Northern Bosnia. Then a series of briefings took place, with the emphasis on two very important items: 'Do not walk on the grass' and 'If you did not drop it - do not pick it up'.

Mr. O'Reilly explained, "The reasons for such cautions are evident as you see photos of landmine victims and learn of the terrible hate that exists between the various factions. Retreating armies and rebel forces have mined fields and buildings to slow the pursuit of others and it is customary to find unexploded ordinances and find areas that are clearly marked with a skull and crossbones. The reality of being in a war zone is quickly brought to your attention for your own protection".

The roughly 1,650 members of the Canadian Task Force in Bosnia-Herzegovina have been distributed among ten different locations within the Canadian area of responsibility. These include: Velika Kladusa in the north, Coralici to the south and east, Bihac, Mount Gola, Mount Ivovik, Zgon, Gos Peak, Drvar and Tomislavgrad.

The operational name of our task force is "Operation Palladium" and it is Canada's greatest commitment ever to world peace in the realm of peacekeeping. The area of operation covers an area similar in size to the riding of Haliburton-Victoria-Brock, or about thirty per cent larger than the province of Prince Edward Island.

Upon arriving at Camp Black Bear (Velika Kladus), the group was made welcome by the Commander of the Task Force, Colonel C. J. Corrigan, C.D., M.A., and his personnel. A highlight for Mr. O'Reilly was the chance to meet with Clayton Vanbokenberg, a Lindsay area native, and graduate of LCVI, who is on his first rotation with the Canadian Forces in Bosnia. "Clayton shows the professional attitude that is very evident of our men and women who choose a career in the military. They help to attain the respect that Canada is known for in peace-keeping missions all over the world," stated O'Reilly.

**Ottawa report**
**by John O'Reilly, MP**

After Camp Velika Kladus, the mission visited various camps with different accommodations ranging from tents to trailers, and a few with the very bare essentials. The camp at Gos Peak sits at the 7000 foot level and contains a communication tower and various vital communication links. The road is a path of rocks and gravel, one car wide, with no guard rails and a spectacular view of the surrounding mountain range. While the drive up is an adventure, the ride down is equal to the most exciting of roller coasters. At the bottom, O'Reilly was heard to comment to the other passengers, "If anyone calls this trip 'a junket', we have to send them to Gos Peak!"

In all, the group visited eight locations, including a single platoon house. They went out on patrol with the units and visited villages, towns and cities, and found that Canadian troops are treated with mixed emotions. The older people are very glad to see a peace-keeping force. "They have witnessed a living hell on earth. Ethnic cleansing, or (in my opinion) mass murder, is evident in the many cemeteries with so many tombstones all with the same date of death. The residents told us horror stories of mass graves, and rebels who had to stop shooting people only because of fatigue or because of the gun overheating. It is hard to imagine how people could hate each other over differences in religion for centuries. I believe that we must, as a nation, remain in Bosnia-Herzegovina, Kosovo and Macedonia until a climate of stability is achieved. We have to find a way to help emerging democracies to evolve into a true Government of the people. Below the surface, we discovered, is a feeling that fighting will start as soon as the peacekeepers leave. Hatred is not hard to find".

Also, Mr. O'Reilly had strong words of praise for the Canadian Military in Bosnia-Herzegovina. He said, "They are doing a fantastic job, with great professionalism and dedication to maintain peace. They need our support and encouragement. The budget must continue to increase, as it has in the last three budgets. It has to be higher and the military has to adjust and grow in numbers in order to sustain our operations. Every country is undergoing the same problems of recruitment. The answers are not easy. We should be very proud of our work, by the military, in foreign lands to help maintain world peace".

On returning home, the Parliamentary mission's flight became part of the evacuation of one of the military personnel, for medical reasons. The aircraft was equipped with a portable operating table, and a doctor, two nurses and a paramedic joined the flight to assist in an emergency trip to the Ottawa hospital. They arrived on Thursday, August 23, 2001.


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# Sports

**Terry Fox Run**

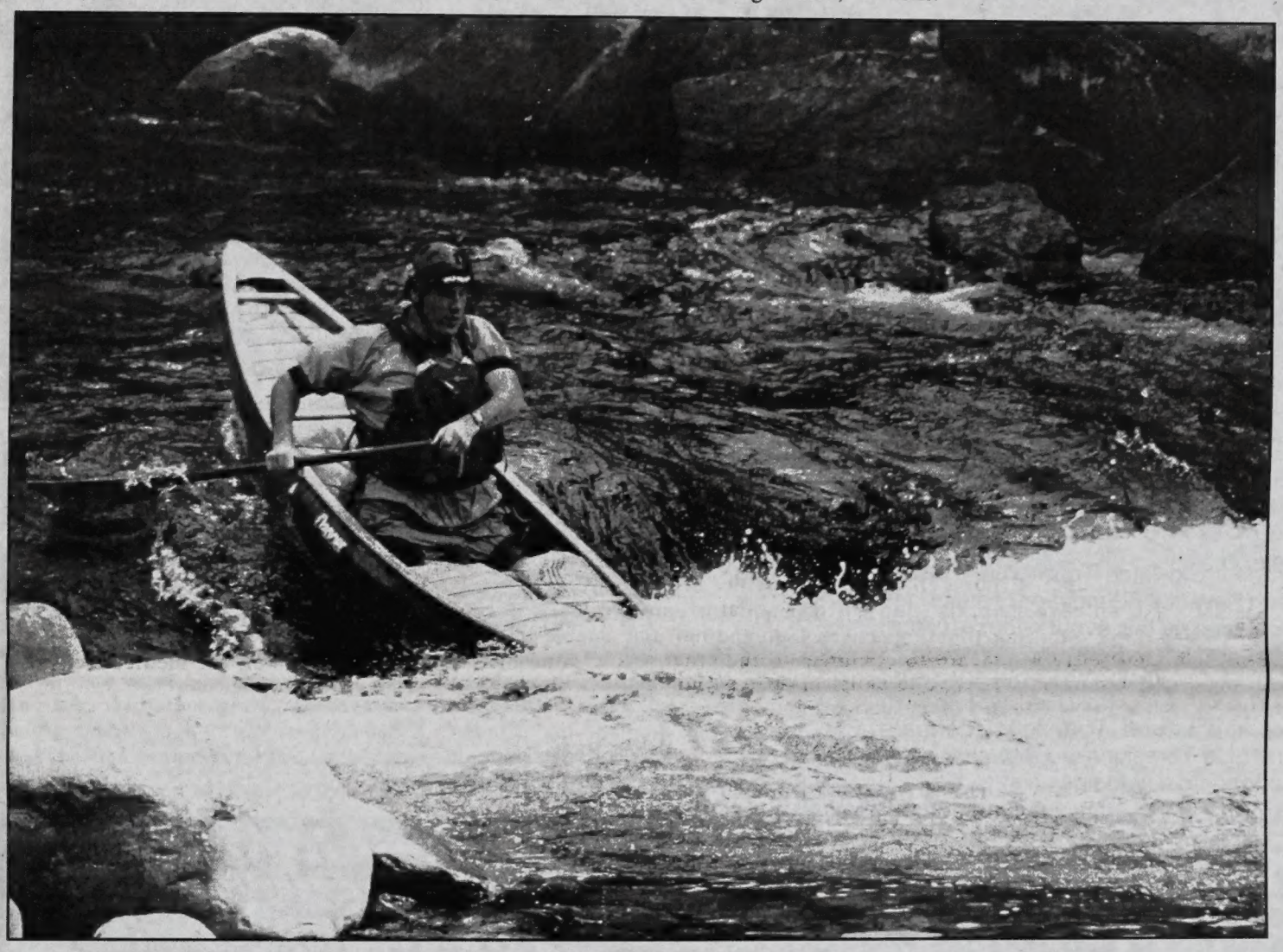
**The annual Terry Fox Run will be held in Minden Sunday starting at 9 a.m. from the Community Centre and in Haliburton from Head Lake Park, starting at 10 a.m.**

# Open Canoe Competition held on weekend

by Jerry Grozelle

The Minden Wild Water Preserve was the site of the annual Open Canoe Championships this past weekend.

Ryan Moore, one of the organizers, said he expected between 200 and 300 people and about 100 canoes at the event.



**PRACTICE RUN:** A competitor in the Men's Single Canoe Class gets some practice time in at the Minden Wild Water Preserve Friday. He was testing the course in preparation for the Open Canoe Competition, which was held Sunday. Organizers expected about 100 canoes and between 200 and 300 people to attend this year's event. The event featured five competition classes and one fun class.

"This is the only competition of its kind in Canada, that we know of," Moore said.

Participants will be competing in one or more of five classes — Men's Single, Women's Single, Women's Tandem, Men's Tandem and Mixed Tandem. In addition there will be a fun class called the Adult-Child Class. Moore explained that the best paddlers are commandeered and they take a child from among the spectators for a ride through the course.

The course was open for practice on Saturday and the competitions were held Sunday. Starting at 9 a.m. competitors left the starting gate every 15 seconds. Following an hour break at lunch time, the paddlers were back on the course, starting again at 15-second intervals until well into the afternoon.

The competition is restricted to the bottom half of the course at the Wild Water Preserve. All levels of competitors are expected, from novice to the pros.

Moore noted that the Minden Wild Water Preserve will be the site of the 2002 North American Nationals. That competition was formerly the US Nationals, but paddlers from Canada have dominated that competition for several years. So, they decided to rename it to reflect the international flavour and have the 2002 competition in Minden to see why the Canadian competitors are so dominant in the sport. Moore said some of the US competitors were here on the weekend to get a feel for the course before next year's championships.

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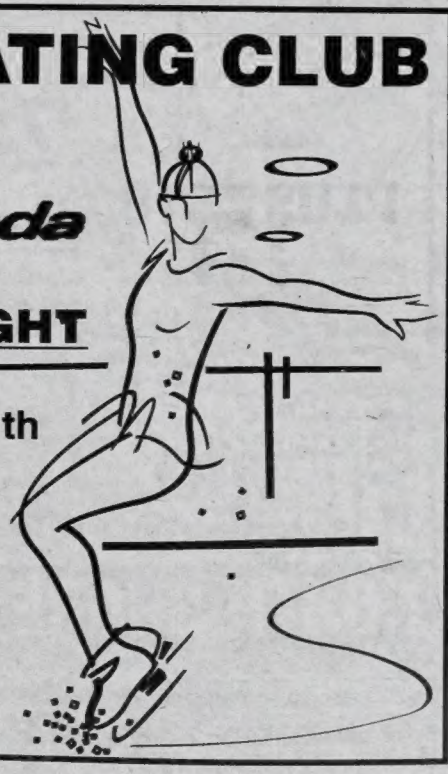

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# New brooms needed to sweep into MCC season

With the opening of the curling season just over a month away, the Minden Curling Club is eager to attract new members and encourage last year's curlers to return to the ice.

Pat Campbell is responsible for membership development this year. "Curling is a great sport for anyone of just about any age," she commented. "It is part of the Canadian tradition, a fun and easy sport to play and is a great opportunity to meet new people."

She noted that curling in Minden is just starting its second 50 years. "It all started in the old arena, which was built where the municipal office now stands on Milne Street." The community built a new arena in 1949, and while hockey and figure skating took up a great deal of the schedule, there was some time set aside for curlers.

"The men's club borrowed $400 and were able to purchase some used curling stone from the Bobcaygeon club. It was enough to equip three rinks," she said. The men's group had 44 curlers." There was also a ladies' league.

In 1950, heavy snow brought the season to a sudden end when the newly built arena collapsed under a excessive load. But the community rallied and rebuilt the facility, ensuring that curling, and budding hockey players and figure skaters would be given their chance to shine.

The arena was used until 1961 when the curling club moved to the new facility on the western end of the Minden Fair Grounds. The Quonset hut contained two sheets of ice and a double decker, heated viewing area at the south end of the building. The curlers had a building of their own, which they shared each August with the fair board, when it was used as the exhibit building.

Initially playing on natural ice, an artificial ice plant was installed in 1963.

The present curling club was constructed in 1980 and opened for the season for 1980-81. With four sheets of ice, men's and ladies' locker and change rooms, large, glass walled club area and ample kitchen, the Minden Curling Club has become a popular spot for winter recreation.

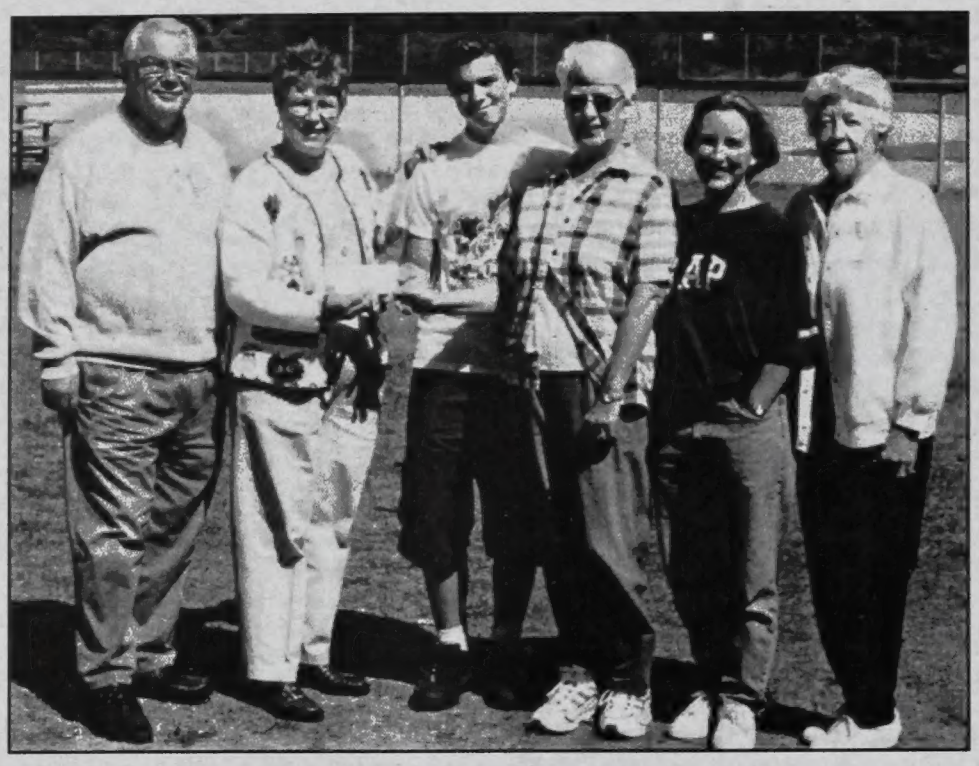
"Winter can be somewhat confining," Pat Campbell said. "Curling offers an opportunity to enjoy a winter activity without having to endure the rough weather. Curling is certainly an exciting game, but it also allows lots of time for socalizing, on the ice or after the game."

Campbell explained that the drive for membership for the season is now on, with special rates for first-time curler and those under 30 years of age. "We are trying to encourage new curlers to give the sport a try," she said. "Hopefully our efforts will pay off." Returning curlers will not go unrewarded. Anyone joining the club and paying the membership by September 26 will have his or her name entered in a draw. The prize is the cost of the membership.

The Minden Curling Club includes leagues for women, Monday evening, men, Tuesday evening and mixed curling on Thursday evening. Members of the seniors Curling Club play during the day throughout the week. The club also supports a junior curling program, which provides after school instruction and games for senior elementary and high school students.

Members of the club are also welcome to take part in the many bonspiels hosted throughout the season, as well as social events. "Curling is a great Canadian tradition, started with jam can curling over a century ago," Campbell said. "While our history doesn't go back that far, the club has been a part of the community for over a half a century."

Anyone wanting more information about membership or the Minden club can contact Pat Campbell at 286-3433.



## *Slo-Pitch for health care*

The sixth annual Jenna Tompkins Memorial Slo-Pitch Tournament raised $6,700 for the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation. That brings the total to nearly $27,000 that has been raised by this event over six years. Seen here during the cheque presentation are, left to right: Jack Woodcroft, a member of the Foundation's Board of Directors, Dale Walker, Manager of the Foundation, Jeremy Tompkins (Jenna's brother), Carole Peeling (Jenna's aunt), Cindy Rigatti (Jenna's cousin) and Laurel Tompkins (Jenna's grandmother). Jenna's parents Larry and Lisa Tompkins were unable to be at the presentation because they were attending a wedding.

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*Competitive synchronized skating team being formed*

# Minden Skating Club looks forward to exciting season

The Minden Skating Club begins a new season on October 1, 2001. This year promises to be an exciting one with innovative programming and events. The club has been awarded the Skate Canada Eastern Spring Invitational which will be held April 5 to 7.

During this one-time event, several hundred competitors from across Ontario will converge upon Minden to compete. We will also be hosting a competition on February 2 and 3. Now in its 15th year, the "Meet-To-Skate" Invitational is an annual event attended by competitors from across Ontario.

A competitive synchronized skating team is being organized this year in partnership with the Haliburton Skating Club. Skaters will learn intricate manoeuvres and formations while developing team spirit.

CanSkate, Test Stream and Competitive skating will again be offered this season. The CanSkate program is SkateCanada's flagship learn-to-skate program developed nationally by skating experts and taught by professional coaches. Lots of fun days and events including a Carnival for the season finale are planned.

The Test Stream program will run three nights a week. In the SkateCanada spirit of cooperation, the Friday night Test Stream session will be open to skaters from neighbouring clubs.

And for those aspiring young skaters who aren't sure that skating is their "thing", the club is offering a four day introductory session.

We invite new and veteran skaters alike to join us this season.

## Twelve Mile - Little Boshkung Lakes Golf Tournament draws 50

**- Submitted by Bob Wing -**

On Saturday, September 1, 50 golfers from Twelve Mile Lake and Little Boshkung teed off at Beaverbrook Golf Club for their annual golf tournament. On the patio, a lovely lunch was served and enjoyed by all. Prize winners were as follows:

Ladies' Low Gross - Sue Stewart; Mens' Low Gross - John Adach; Over 55 Ladies' Low Gross - Mary Samson; Over 55 Men's Low Gross - Bob Wing; Ladies' Low Net - Sue Pethick; Mens' Low Net - Chris Forbes; Ladies' Longest Drive - Jean Toms; Mens' Longest Drive - Chris Forbes; Closest to the Pin - Ladies -Sue Stewart; Closest to the Pin - Men - Craig Wing; Ted Rainey Memorial Award (Most Honest Golfer) - Susan Linnard.

Many thanks to the generous contributors who helped to ensure that every golfer went home with a prize.

## HHSS Senior football lacks players

The sounds of football are music to Gary Brohman's ears. The Haliburton Highlands Secondary School principal is looking forward to the next few weeks, when his school will test its mettle against the other schools in the Kawartha Division. He's happy that there will be football, but he is concerned that HHSS may not be able to field a Senior team.

"We have good numbers for the Junior team," Brohman said, "but Senior seems to be the gap. The numbers are not good."

Brohman said Thursday that team officials were "still scrambling for seniors."

"We will know by Monday," he said.

## Ken Thompson rolls 287 single

**Wednesday Afternoon League**

High average: Ken Thompson 227; Marie Thompson 205

High single: Ken Thompson 287; Marie Thompson 233

High single (handicap): Bev Hunt 277; Carol Snow 270

High triple: Ken Thompson 681; Marie Thompson 616

High triple (handicap): Avard Edwards 658; Marie Thompson 664

**Thursday Afternoon League**

High average: Ken Thompson 234; Shirley Webb 200

High single: Ken Thompson 271; Shirley Webb 240

High single (handicap): Ross Henderson 262; Beverley Alexander 276

High triple: Ken Thompson 703; Shirley Webb 602

High triple (handicap): Ross Henderson 739; Josie Cheesman 696

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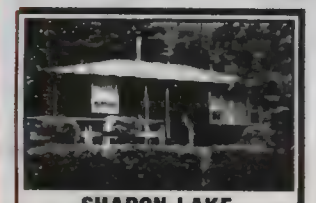
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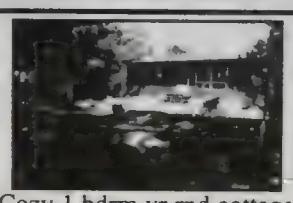
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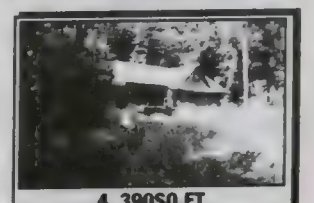
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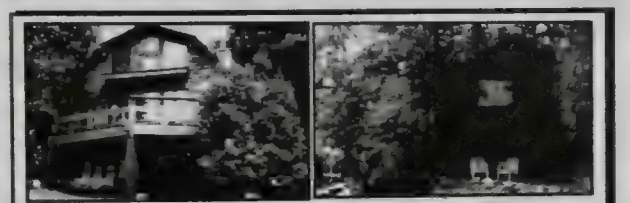
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# Garden of memories and tour sampler opens at AJG

by Dianne Graham,
Special to The Times

One of the key tourist attractions in the Haliburton Highlands is the annual fall Studio Tour. Conveniently timed to show off the fall foliage to best advantage, thousands of visitors will meander our backroads on September 29 and 30 (and the following weekend at a number of studios) as they tour the studios of 25 local artists scattered across the county.

The new show, *Studio Tour Sampler,* at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery in Minden features work from each of the artists on the 2001 studio tour and certainly highlights the amazing array of talent in the area. Work includes paintings, weaving, a variety of fibre arts, metalwork, woodworking, jewellery, pottery including raku, soapstone sculpture, stained glass, wicker furniture, canoes and birdhouses.

If you are unable to "do the tour" at month end, this show gives you the flavour of the event and an opportunity to purchase some wonderful gifts or souvenirs. Or, if you can only visit a certain number of artists on tour, come on in to the gallery and plan your route - make note of the ones that "just can't be missed!"

Also at the gallery is *My Garden of Memories* by Lindsay artist Dorothea Weise. Dorothea worked as a graphic designer in Toronto and in Germany prior to coming to Canada in 1966. Her projects ranged from designing book covers to technical reports and she illustrated author-husband Karl's scholarly books and children's books. Her work has won several awards and past shows include the Lindsay Gallery, Bethany Gallery, Buckhorn Wildlife Art Festival, Kawartha Arts Festival and the Victoria County Studio Tour. She has also participated in Minden's annual Artisans Festival for a number of years.

During her extensive career, Dorothea has experimented with a wide variety of applications such as watercolours on silk, animal portraiture on natural materials, contemporary landscapes of local and rural areas and her lovely renderings of beautiful floral arrangements.

This exhibition, *My Garden of Memories,* features Dorothea's delicate floral fantasies which combine collage and traditional watercolours, along with a number of hand painted silk banners. Just for fun, Dorothea has also included a number of adorable animal portraits - dogs, cats and a turtle or two - which are painted on rocks.

The *Studio Tour Sampler* and *My Garden of Memories* continue at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery in Minden until September 30. Join Dorothea for refreshments at her opening reception on Saturday, September 15 from 2 - 4 p.m. and sneak a peek at the Studio Tour Sampler at the same time! The gallery is open from Tuesday to Saturday 10 am. to 4 p.m. and will also be open on Sunday, September 30 for Studio Tour Weekend.

Above: A Dorothea Weise painting from her show *A Garden of Memories.* Left: Raku pottery by Sylvia and Wayne Rose, part of this year's Studio Tour.


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# Markers will assit with 9-1-1 plan

*(from page one)*

always going to go smoothly. "We may have to get hard-nosed in some cases," he said.

To help simplify the property numbering system, each property with a residence or business will have a temporary property marker placed in a prominent location. These markers will be yellow, similar to the yellow used by the MTO for highway lines. These markers will be numbered, but Foster stressed that the numbers on these yellow markers will not be the 9-1-1 number. They are for reference purposes only and are designed to assist with property identification while the 9-1-1 implementation process is under way.

"They will help to eliminate errors," Foster said. "We have learned from other areas. This will speed up the process and get 9-1-1 implemented sooner."

The yellow markers would be temporarily attached to trees or even mail box posts, where they are readily visible.

The markers would only be installed where there is a dwelling. Foster hopes to get volunteers to install the markers.

The question of signage regulations along highways governed by MTO policies which restrict signs within a certain distance of the highway was raised. Foster said that if there was a problem conforming to MTO regulations, the markers could be moved far enough back from the highway right-of-way to avoid the restrictions in the regulations.

To help ensure that the markers won't be taken down, property owners will be contacted, advising them of their purpose.

# *August weather*

**by Phil Graham**

| | C | F |
|---|---|---|
| Average high | 26.6 | 80 |
| Average low | 12.6 | 54.6 |
| Average for the month | 19.6 | 67.2 |
| Average for last Aug. | 17.6 | 63.6 |
| Highest temperature, Aug. 8 | 34.5 | 94.0 |
| Lowest temperature Aug. 25 | 5.5 | 42.0 |
| Rain | 57.3mm | 2.2 in. |
| Total precip. for last Aug. | 89.2 | 3.5 in. |
| River temps. Aug 10 | 27.0 | 80.6 |
| Aug. 31 | 22.5 | 72.5 |
| Days mostly sunny | 18 | |
| Days with rain | 8 | |
| Days with thunderstorms | 5 | |

August is gone and it had quite a variety of weather. The first half of the month was almost tropical — very warm. The highest was 34.5 C (94 F). The last half of the month was more normal and we finally got some rain starting August 16. There were cool nights, down to as low as 5.5 C (42 F).

The average temperature for the month was 19.6 C and the average for the past 10 years was 17.9 C. The highest temperature in this period was 34.5 this August and August 1997.

Rainfall for August was 57.3 mm, the same amount as August 1997. The average for the past 10 years was 92 mm.

The river temperature during the hot period got as high as 27 C (80.6 F). The river temperature was back to normal by the end of the month.


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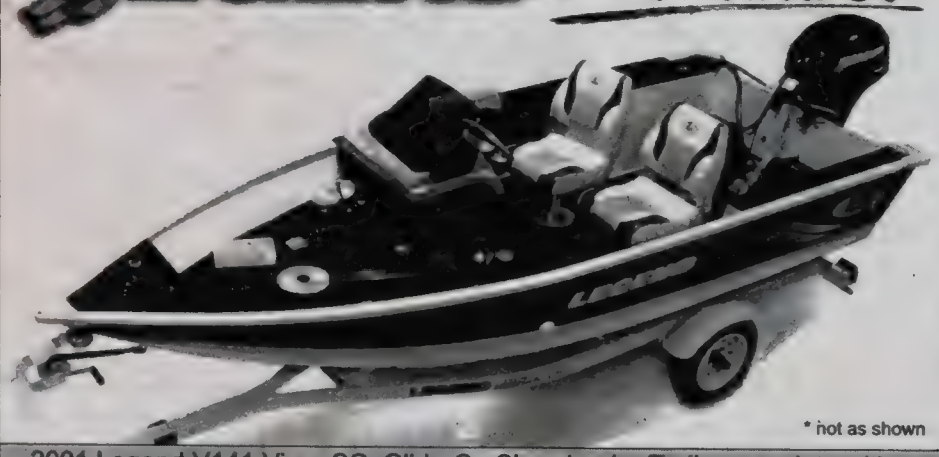

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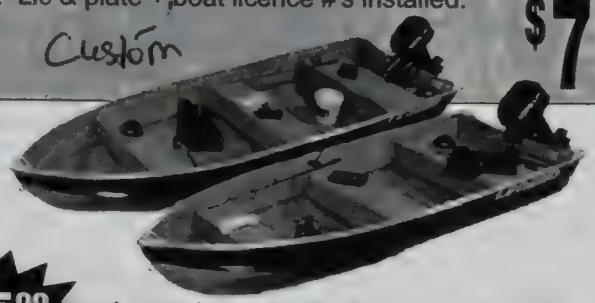

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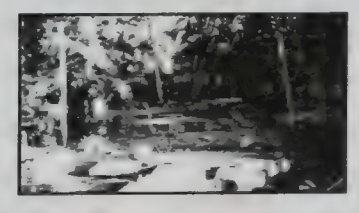

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# Rabies clinics set for Sept. 22 & 29

People who care about the welfare of their family should consider the well-being of another loved-one – the four-legged variety.

Cats and dogs are very susceptible to rabies, so vaccinating them against a potential killer only makes sense, says Anne Alexander, Director of Environmental Health with the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit.

"Pet owners who love their dogs or cats should take precautions and have their animals vaccinated for rabies," says Alexander. "it won't hurt you to do it, but not doing it could harm or kill your pet."

Local pet owners can have their animals vaccinated at a series of low-cost rabies clinics set for Saturday, September 22 (and Saturday, September 29 in Minden) from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at various veterinary offices in the area. (See the list below.)

Cost of a rabies vaccination is $15 per animal. Rabies vaccinations for pets are mandatory in this area.

Rabies is an infectious viral disease that invades the central nervous system of humans and animals. Worldwide, more than 30.000 people die of rabies each year in addition to countless family pets such as dogs and cats.

If your pet hasn't been vaccinated, here are the locations for this year's clinics:

### September 22

- Coboconk: Gull River Veterinary Services, Highway 35, 1 km north of Coboconk.
- Haliburton: Haliburton Veterinary Services, Haliburton Firehall.
- Wilberforce: Haliburton Veterinary Services, Wilberforce Firehall (10 a.m. to 2 p.m.)

### September 29

- Minden: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Minden Animal Clinic, Bobcaygeon Rd. North, Minden.

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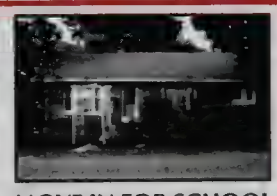
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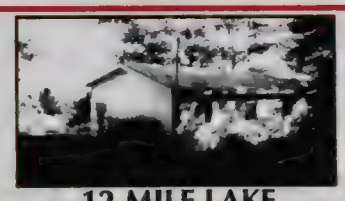
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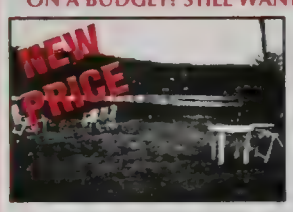

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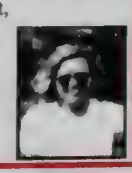
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**DOG DAYS:** Thanks to the efforts of local dog owners and their supporters, the first annual Walk for Guide Dogs was a howling success. Some 30 participants walked the five kilometre course and raised $4377 for the guide dog training program supported by the Lions Clubs of Canada. Walk organizers Diane Booth, left, and Ann Knight presented Lions President Garry Holland, right and walk liaison Graham Knight with the proceeds last week.

# HHHS Foundation elects board

*(from page 3)*

ner and dance, the Light the Trees campaign and the Acute Care bears. "We will continue to encourage the fund-raising projects of the various service clubs and members of the business community, which are most appreciated."

Monk thanked the board, staff and the community for their support. "It has been a tremendous experience," he concluded.

The members of the Foundation accepted the financial report prepared by McColl Turner of Fenelon Falls and then reappointed the company as the auditors for the coming year.

Two new members of the board of directors were elected. Iain Fraser and Jim Mitchell were proposed by the nominating committee. They will serve until next September, replacing Bonnie Fleischaker and Karen Dockrill, who have stepped down. Also returning for another term will be treasurer Joanne Camelon and Bruce Fleury. Other members of the board include: Jack Woodcroft, Chair Gord Monk, Vice Chair Ray Selbie, Capital Campaign Chair Don Popple, Bill McAfee, Mac Gadway and Mel Zwaig.

# *Free legal clinic now available*

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Simcoe, Haliburton, Kawartha Lakes is expanding its services into Haliburton County and the City of Kawartha Lakes. Commencing September 4, a clinic caseworker is available for appointments in Lindsay, Minden and Haliburton Village.

This is part of an extensive expansion by Legal Aid Ontario to provide clinic law services across the province and it represents the first significant expansion of the clinic system since the early 1990s. For the first time, people in every area of Ontario who need help with legal problems such as housing, social assistance, pensions, worker's compensation and employment insurance will be able to visit a community legal clinic.

Clinics are funded annually with a mandate to increase access to legal services and to promote the legal well-being of their community, either through the delivery of direct legal services or engaging in law reform or community education. The clinic is under the direction of a local community Board of Directors.

The former Simcoe Legal Services Clinic has been in operation since 1981 and until this expansion has been staffed by four lawyers, two community legal workers and two support staff. The expansion will see the staff increase by three. The new satellite offices join the existing service in the main office in Orillia and satellite offices in Barrie, Collingwood, Midland, Alliston and Christian Island First Nation.

The new satellite offices will be: in Minden, at 7 Milne Street (upstairs in the Minden Hills Municipal Administration Building); in Haliburton at the Family Services offices at Eastern and George Streets. Appointments and information can be obtained by calling 1-800-461-8953 and; in Lindsay, at 22 Peel Street, telephone 705-324-2247 (at the Legal Aid office).

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# Early Years committee appointments

Queen's Park Report
by Chris Hodgson, MPP

The establishment of the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge Early Years Steering Committee was announced August 27 by MPP Chris Hodgson.

"Ontario's Early Years Steering Committees are made up of dedicated citizens, many of whom are community leaders and child development experts," said Hodgson. "These people will champion local early years and parenting initiatives."

The province's 37 Early Years Steering committees are part of the Harris government's Early Years Plan. Ontario's Early Years Plan builds on partnerships, programs and services to benefit all young children and their families as the next step in realizing the vision and new way of thinking articulated in the Mustard/McCain Early Years Study.

As announced on May 10, the Harris government will invest $114 million in new funding this year to enhance targeted and universal programs for young children. The funding will also be used to establish Ontario Early Years Centre's across the province to support parents in their important role. At these centres, parents will be able to access a range of services and plug into other programs in their communities.

"Our government's commitment to children's early years has never been greater," said John Baird, Minister Responsible for Children. "We understand that by supporting parents and their young children, we are securing a future that will be led by healthy, educated and caring individuals."

Members of the Early Years Steering Committees have a very important role to play, including:

- Bringing together local business, charitable and voluntary sectors to provide financial and in-kind resources;
- Raising public awareness and education;
- Taking stock of early years services and resources;
- Reviewing Early Years Challenge Fund submissions; and
- Developing partnerships, agreements and protocols to support local Early Years Plans.

"I appreciate the commitment these individuals are making on behalf of Ontario's children," said Hodgson. "By working together, we can make a difference in the lives of young people now, and well into the future."

The Order In Council appointments to the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge Early Years Steering Committee include:

- Judith Hayes, community co-ordinator; vice president, Shadow Lakes Association, director Kawartha Lakes Association of Volunteer Administrators, volunteer canvasser, United Way, former fund-raising consultant, City of Kawartha Lakes
- John Macklem, chair; chartered accountant, director Golden Good Resources Inc., director Chesbar Resources Inc., former Warden County of Victoria and Reeve of Laxton, Digby and Longford
- Patricia McCarthy, retired teachers and librarian, former chair of the Librarians' Association, York Region Separate School Board, former volunteer
- Janine Mitchell, child care co-ordinator, Kawartha Lakes/Haliburton Social Services Alliance, former administrator, Victoria Graduate Child Care Centre
- Barbara Purdie, pediatric physiotherapy, volunteer, Peterborough Youth Services, volunteer North Cavan Public School
- José Richter, teacher, founding member of the Consultants and Co-ordinators Association in Primary Education
- Lesley Shimmin, parent, community volunteer, volunteer, local nursery school
- Judith Tripp, executive director family resources for Victoria County, board member Ontario Association of Family Resource Programs, Past co-chairperson, Victoria County Pre-school Resource Centre
- Dineka Van Roon, experience in accounting and bookkeeping, community volunteer, former foster parent
- Nadine Jones, owner and operator of Bobcaygeon Nursery School and Daycare, co-chair of Victoria County Child Care Forum, member of the Early Years Task Group
- McKay Brydon, retired elementary school principal, former board member of the Haliburton Social Action Committee and Big Brothers of Haliburton.

The Early Years Steering Committees are expected to meet at least once a month to address local issues relating to children. The community co-ordinator is a full-time position that supports the committee and promotes the importance of the early years throughout the local area.

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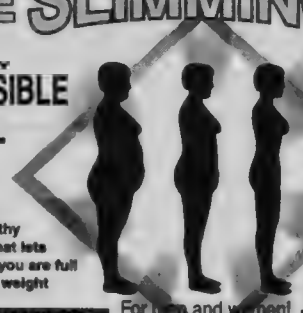

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# Seasonal property tax rate has appeal on Gull Lake

*(from page 4)*

The continued push for property owners to recycling. "I know it is a hassle but we need to everything we can to prolong the life of our dumps," he said. Bernard encouraged all members to make their preference known to Minden Hills Reeve Ross Rigney.

### Seasonal tax rates for cottagers

Paul Bernard feels that seasonal mill rates or tax rates may not be out of the realm of possibility for Gull Lake seasonal property owners. According to Bernard, after a conversation with Minden Hills deputy reeve, Jim McMahon, that the idea, by which seasonal residents would fall under a separate tax rate, was not completely rejected. "The idea did not get shot down," said Bernard.

He suggested that members of the POA write letters to the municipal clerk, stating their views on the subject. "It's just to point out to the community that we are using the property less and don't impact services as much," said Bernard.

### Gull Lake does not support private members' bill

One of the hotter topics to circulate through this year's round of lake association meetings is the issue of personal water craft (PWCs). Currently a senator has proposed a private members' bill that, if passed, would allowed municipalities and cottage associations to request PWCs be banned or their operation restricted on certain lakes. Waterways are controlled federally under the Department of Fisheries and Oceans.

Paul Bernard stated that although the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations (FOCA) supports Bill S-26, the Gull Lake POA does not. The association's directors have discussed it and do not support the bill. "I don't like the idea of a municipality telling you, you can't use something you have bought. It could open the floodgates," he said. "We are steadfast on this."

Members were invited to share their opinions after the meeting. A petition supporting the bill was also available for individuals who wished to sign it.

### Off duty police reduce on duty criminals on Gull Lake

Last year's purchase of police services seems to have been effective. The Gull Lake POA hired off-duty OPP officers to patrol the area in the off-season. According to Bernard, break-ins in the area were lower than previous years. The association would like to make this arrangement again, but with some changes. It would like to ask officers to add a couple of hours before or after their regular shifts, instead of patrolling on their day off, which could increase the frequency of their visits. The association will review the contract with the OPP this year.

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# K Lakes budget $49.8 M

**--City of Kawartha Lakes press release--**

Budget deliberations have been on-going for several months with Council making the final decisions on the operating budget August 27. City Council was able to exceed the taxation levy target set by reducing the total taxation to be raised through levy at $49,808,061.00. This compares with $50,927,000.00 in 2000 and $50,081,000.00 in 1999.

Highlights of the budget include -

• drop in general government expenses

• grants to non-profit organizations remain the same for 2001

• solid waste and recycling collection will be extended to all ratepayers

• more emphasis on economic development with increased importance being placed on agriculture, special events and industrial growth

• more standardization in the fire service with emphasis on fire prevention

• development of one official plan and zoning by-law

• consolidation of social services and social housing administration

• reduction in costs and increased efficiencies in the public works area

• ability to meet provincial accounting standards

• increase availability of library services with reduced membership requirements

• increased accessibility to recreation programs

• enhanced services including expansion of bill payment options and web site development

• emergency plan development and exercise of the program

• reduction in legal fees due to the implementation of the position of Solicitor/Clerk

• reduction in insurance costs of over $400,000.00

• reduction in the overall amount paid for elected officials

The capital budget to be funded by the tax levy was passed in the amount of $7,799,502.00 which was similar to the total allocation from the previous year. This amount does not include any water and sewer capital expenditures that will be included in the water and sewer budget, which is funded by user charges.

Area rating has been determined and those property owners receiving a higher level of service for sidewalks, street lights, waste collection, parks, transit, police, and fire will have a separate line on the tax bill for the charges that apply showing the cost for those services. Area rating of the revenue from pits and quarries will also be included on tax bills for 2001 for those former municipalities where pits and quarries exist.

It is anticipated that tax bills will be issued by the end of September, with due dates at the end of October and November.

# Lake level drop slows to 2%

*The following report was issued by Parks Canada on September 5.*

The Haliburton lakes declined only 2% this past eight days, which was far less than the weeks during the summer. The summer decline averaged 5.25% per week compared with the normal 3.5%. The improvement this week resulted from rains in most areas and reducing the flow from the reserve lakes into the tributary rivers. If drier weather is resuming then these lakes may soon resume their decline for another few weeks as we move toward the the end of the navigation season on October 10.

The Kawartha water levels were also boosted by last week's rain, rising until they were verty close to normal for this time of year. A decline has been noted again, a result of increased evaporation caused by high winds and the warm water temperature.


## The Township of Minden Hills Requires a Deputy Treasurer

**The Role:**
The Deputy Treasurer will oversee the day to day financial functions of the Municipality and provides support to the general municipal administration.

**The successful applicant** must have and be able to demonstrate:

- A thorough knowledge of all legislation and regulations pertinent to municipal accounting procedures, preferably through a post secondary program.
- A general knowledge of Municipal accounting principles and practices both in a computerized and manual environment.
- Experience in processing of accounts payable, accounts receivable, payroll and general ledger accounting.
- A general knowledge of the necessary information and documents required for interim and year end audits.
- A working knowledge of word processing and spreadsheet computer software applications.
- Strong planning/time management and organizational skills.
- Strong communication skills.

The position requires a minimum of five years experience in progressively responsible related positions including at least two years experience as a Deputy Treasurer or a similar position. The A.M.C.T. designation is a definite asset.

Compensation of the position is $16.00 per hour, subject to change as a result of ongoing collective bargaining with CUPE, Local 4286.

Qualified candidates are invited to submit a resume in confidence, clearly marked "Deputy Treasurer", by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 21, 2001, to Township of Minden Hills, P.O. Box 359, Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0. Attention: Ms. Mary Jane Irwin, Treasurer, e-mail: mjirwin@county.haliburton.on.ca, Telephone: (705) 286-1260 Fax: (705) 286-4917.

Personal information and supporting material is used in accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

We thank all applicants for applying, but only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.



## PUBLIC HEALTH DIETITIAN
## One Year Pregnancy/Parental Leave

The Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit requires a full-time Public Health Dietitian for its Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention programs in Northumberland County.

The successful candidate will develop, implement and evaluate food and nutrition education programs. They will provide a food and nutrition information and advisory service to the public, health unit staff, community leaders, media and other health professionals.

**The successful candidates will have:**

- registration with the College of Dietitians of Ontario
- experience in community health
- excellent skills in education, counselling, oral and written communication,
- strong organizational, interpersonal and group facilitation skills
- ability to work independently as well as with a multi-disciplinary team and with community groups
- basic computer skills in a Windows-based environment (Wordperfect as a minimum)
- valid drivers license and access to a vehicle for work

**Location:** Port Hope
**Salary Range:** $47,576 - 52,307 (2001)
**Start Date:** November, 2001

Qualified applicants should reply in writing no later than **September 28, 2001** to:

Leslie Orpana, Director
Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention
Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit
200 Rose Glen Road
Port Hope, Ontario L1A 3V6
Phone: (905) 885-9100 Fax: (905) 885-9551
e-mail: lorpana@hkpr.on.ca

HKPR Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit

We would like to thank all applicants in advance and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted. All information is collected solely for the purpose of job selection under the provisions of the *Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.*



## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

**Proposal Call for Consultants to complete Resource Inventory for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge Early Years Steering Committee**

The Haliburton, Kawartha Pine Ridge Early Years Steering Committee invites submissions for the completion of an Early Years Resource Inventory to measure community capacity; build awareness; identify gaps and needs including the following using a specific software package and inventory tool.

- What programs are available and the level of access;
- How do the program components fit with the Early Years vision;
- How are the programs resourced and how are volunteers and parents involved; and
- What is the utilization of existing resources and what are the gaps as perceived by the local service providers.
- Collaboration with Northumberland's Children's Services Committee in Service Integration.

Interested parties are invited to obtain additional information concerning the "request for proposal" from:

Judith Hayes, HKPR Early Years Community Coordinator
Box 7
Norland, ON K0M 2L0
(705) 454-3730

**Closing date: Friday, September 14, 2001 4:30 p.m.**
**Lowest or Any Reply Not Necessarily Accepted.**

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*Topics to be covered:*

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- *Governance processes: strategic planning, ED evaluation and monitoring*

For registration and cost please phone Fay Martin, Executive Director, Family Services of Haliburton County at 457-5345.



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**REQUEST FOR PRE-QUALIFICATION OF THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR, ELECTRICAL & MECHANICAL SUB-CONTRACTOR FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AT FROST CAMPUS LINDSAY, ONTARIO FOR A NATURAL RESOURCES ACADEMIC WING**

The Natural Resources Academic Wing will be approximately 42,000 sq. ft. The addition will attach to the existing building via a hall from the lobby of the college. The addition will house a computer based learning commons, the Library/Audio Visual department, a Biodiversity Lab and the Geomatics Facility.

Tenders will be based upon CCA Documents No. 11 as well as supplementary documentation to demonstrate managerial, safety and financial-bonding capabilities.

Tender Documents and Specifications will be available from the Purchasing Office:
Sir Sandford Fleming College
Room 423
599 Brealey Drive
Peterborough, ON K9J 7B1

Tenders will be invited from the list of pre-qualified Contractors only.

Pre-qualification Information to be received by September 24, 2001, 2:00 p.m. at the above address.

For further information please contact Mrs. Sandy Lawrence, Director of Purchasing at (705)-749-5554, or Robbie Sane Architects Inc., Mr. Arun Sane at (416) 515-0445.

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# Kinmount Seniors host tea party

## Senior League
by the Roving Reporters

We had a good session this morning talking about our happenings since we last reported, reading our column from last week and catching up on some local news. We also read our September news-letter from cover to cover. Another wonderful issue; thanks Rob. Each one is chock full of information, not only about us, but jokes and varied articles. We know our families enjoy reading it also.

We had Karaoke at our Happy Hour the other day and what a lot of fun that was. Bill Redgrave, Margaret Foote, and Lilian Millar entertained us beautifully as they sang the old tunes. Bill Redgrave sang up a storm again when Jack and Ruth Worthington visited us for Sing-a-long. Joining Bill was Harriet Loucks and Winnie Barnum, certainly some good vocalists here. Then at our Pub Night we were pleased to be entertained by the Norland Hill-billy's. It's been a good week for music with lots of variety.

Stan Imada presented a slide show for us. It featured special events in Minden and surrounding area including some here at Hyland Crest during the years 1998-99. Those who attended reported recognizing fellow residents and many other people they knew. It ran for about forty-five minutes, was well-attended and very much enjoyed. We say thanks Stan for bring it to us. It was much appreciated.

Rev. Wicks joined us for Chapel on Tuesday, which was also well attended; all expressed how they enjoyed the service. Rev. Wicks talked about the life span of moths and butterflies and how we can relate our lives to theirs. It was very interesting. We now have news that Rev. Wicks and his wife will be moving away shortly and we will be sorry to see them go. They have been visiting us for some time now and will be missed. We are glad that they will be back to visit us at least one more time before they move. It will give us a chance to say goodbye to them and wish them all the best.

There were no card games this week so no results to announce. We can tell you about Roy Nicholls steak dinners. Yes he managed to have two steak dinners from the one sirloin steak he won, and we hear he thoroughly enjoyed both of them. While on the subject of food we enjoyed a wonderful variety at our last Tea Party of August. Our hosts were the Kinmount Seniors and they certainly treated us to some lovely goodies. We thank them for taking the time to visit us and for providing such lovely eats.

Our craft group is not only working on items for Thanksgiving but we now hear they have begun working for Christmas, busy, busy hands.

We were saddened to hear of the death of two of our residents this week. Evelyn Henderson died on August 31st in her 89th year. Our sympathy to her family and friends. Elizabeth Ackerblade, (Liz), died September 5th in her 72nd year. Our condolences to her family and friends.

Before we sign off we have a few announcements to share with you.

There is going to be an open house for Bessie Burke who is celebrating her 90th birthday. It will be held on Saturday, September 15th, here at our home in the Fireplace Lounge from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. We hope many of you will come and join her family in wishing Bessie a happy birthday.

So our upcoming birthdays are Bessie Burke who turns 90 years young on September 14th and Ernie Hamilton who celebrates a birthday on September 17th. We wish both a happy birthday and hope you both enjoy your special day.

We send our get-well wishes to Mary Robinson who is ill at this time. Mary, our thoughts are with you.

We welcomed Ruby Johnson to our home recently when she was here on respite care. We hope she enjoyed her stay with us. Olive Wray is coming back; it will be nice to see her once again.

A warm welcome back to Dana Lee. She seems to be all mended. It's good to have you back with us Dana. It's been a long time and we missed you.

Guess that's it. Hope all of you who volunteer make it to the volunteer appreciation night on September 12th, it sounds like a good time. We will have to find out all about it. In the meantime have a good week and we will see you here same time, same place.

Our tidbit for you:

*"We don't stop playing because we grow old; we grow old because we stop playing."*

**George Bernard Shaw**


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Held at Sir Sandford Fleming College in Haliburton
Thursday, September 27, 2001
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**To register call The Haliburton County Development Corporation**

**457-3555**



**HEALTH PROMOTER**
**Diabetes Prevention Project**

*The Heart Connection*, in collaboration with the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit, requires a Health Promoter to co-ordinate the Workplace Wellness Program of the Diabetes Prevention Project in Northumberland County and the City of Kawartha Lakes. *The Heart Connection* involves community partners working together to help people become healthier by encouraging them to eat well, be active and stay smoke-free.

The Health Promoter is responsible for planning, implementing and evaluating the Diabetes Prevention Project. The position involves collaboration with workplaces to facilitate health promotion and the development of healthy workplace policy.

This position is funded by a financial contribution from the Canadian Diabetes Strategy, Population and Public Health Branch, Ontario Region, Health Canada.

**The successful candidate will have:**
- a baccalaureate degree in health promotion/education or equivalent
- demonstrated skills in group facilitation, community mobilization, social marketing, healthy public policy development and behaviour change education
- excellent organizational and analytical skills
- skills in conducting needs assessment/research, program planning and evaluation
- excellent interpersonal, oral and written communication skills
- a valid Ontario Driver's licence and access to a vehicle
- experience in basic computer applications in a Windows-based environment (WordPerfect as a minimum)
- experience in public/community health, employee health, or health promotion is desirable

**Location:** Port Hope, with travel throughout Northumberland County and the City of Kawartha Lakes

**Salary Range:** ONA $44,843 - 51,085 (2001)
CUPE $47,576 - 52,307 (2001)

Qualified applicants should reply in writing no later than **September 28, 2001** to:

Leslie Orpana, Director
Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention
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200 Rose Glen Road, Port Hope, ON L1A 3V6
Phone: (905) 885-9100 Fax: (905) 885-9551
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For more information please call...
Katherine Egleston
Circles of Care Coordinator
(705) 457-5345 Ext.310


## The Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills

**Take notice that,** the following property has been declared surplus to the needs of the Municipality, pursuant to Section 2., of By-Law No. 11-95, of the former Township of Lutterworth:

**Description of Lands:**

FIRSTLY: Part of Lot 27, Concession 4, designated as Part 3, Plan 19R-7049

SECONDLY: Part of Lot 27, Concession 5, designated as Part 5, Plan 19R-7049

THIRDLY: Part of the Original Road Allowance Between Concessions 4 & 5, lying in front of Lot 27, designated as Parts 4 & 19, Plan 19R-7049

All in the Township of Lutterworth, County of Haliburton.

The property, as described above, is to be conveyed to Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of Ontario as represented by the Minister of Transportation for the Province of Ontario, for the purposes of the reconstruction of Highway No. 35, in the Township of Lutterworth.

**And further, take notice that,** a by-law, to approve the conveyance of the aforementioned lands to the Crown, will be passed at the regular meeting of the Council of The Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills scheduled to be held on September 27, 2001 at 10:00 a.m., in the Municipal Council Chambers, 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario.

Anyone wishing to comment on the sale of this property, should provide comments, in writing, to the Township of Minden Hills, P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0, prior to September 20, 2001.

Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.,
CAO/Clerk.

# Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4450: email <mindenhouse@on.aibn.com>)

The fall is here!!

I haven't noticed that we have had a frost yet but I have heard it has happened in some other areas. I was out driving with a friend last week, travelling the highways and byways. It was great to get out and see new things. No leaves had changed yet but the air was definitely fall.

We were down Fenelon Falls way. We enjoyed lunch at a fun restaurant, 'The Bistro'. Drove around and saw the sights, found a lovely country garden selling wonderful produce, sought out another garden centre where they sell organic produce.

Apparently those people had been up at our market on Main street on the long weekend. I have heard the two markets held this summer were successful. Unfortunately I wasn't able to get away from guests at the breakfast table to go myself. I hope they are held every weekend next year!! Remembering the glories of the Kitchener and St. Jacobs markets...especially in the fall. My mother went every weekend, coming home laden with fresh produce. Oh those tomatoes, corn, peaches and home-made delectables from the Mennonite kitchens. Those were the days!! We really do have a lot to be thankful for in this harvest season.

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A reminder of the Wednesday, September meeting of the Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group at the Minden library. The business meeting begins at 6:00 p.m. Members are asked to please consider volunteering or submitting a nomination for the position of HHGG chairperson for 2002. These nominations will be voted on at the November 14 meeting. At 7:00 p.m. Russ Wunker from Miner's Bay Lodge will speak on "The Early Settlement Of Miner's Bay". This will be an interesting talk as what was happening there was typical of the changes being made in the Haliburton area as a whole. Russ has a deep interest in pioneer life and is justly proud of the role his family played in the development of the area.

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Saturday, September 29 and Sunday, September 30 are the two days of the much anticipated annual Studio Tour weekend. So many come to see and buy the works of our local artists and artisans. This event has become so successful. Justifiably so!! Let's hope the leaves will be at their height and all the guests will enjoy their travels around the County to visit all the studios.

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Along the way, Studio Tour weekend, when a snack would be much appreciated, you may drop in at the Minden County Museum for scones, home-made preserves and tea and coffee. These treats will be served between 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at the Bowron Home on the Museum grounds. Cost is $4 per person.

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Then, just by chance, it is the final performance for this year of the Haliburton Highlands Concert Series at the Northern Lights Pavilion on Saturday, September 29 at 7:30 p.m. One could be filled up with all things beautiful that day!! Two of Canada's top singers, Daniel Lichti and Catherine Robbins, are performing "Songs from Venus and Mars"; in other words, 'women are from Venus, men are from Mars'!! This concert will explore in song the male/female issues in the intriguing area of love. It sounds like a lot of fun and a lot of pleasure!! Please call 457-9731 for the few remaining tickets and more information.

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Have lots of fun and pleasure pursuing your 'fall' activities!!

**SCORING NEWS**

Thursday, August 30: Euchre at the Minden Legion: Vicki Campagnolo and Marcel Roussel won the most lone hands for the women and the men. High scores went to Doreen Francis and Nev Whiteside. The lows were Thelma Francis and Esther Lee. Other scores went to Marcel Roussel, Thelma Francis and Brenda Deguire.

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Friday, August 31: Bid Euchre at Club 35: Margaret Fletcher, Jeanne Penick, Eleanor Smith, Stan Walters, Frank Campagnolo and Bev Swick all won a moonshot. High 'pinks' were Jean Dutka, 278, Margaret Fletcher, 277 and Mary Pearson, 271. High 'whites' were Marcel Lamothe, 285, Milton Fletcher, 282 and Alf Whyman, 256. Ken Stiver found the hidden score.

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Duplicate bridge at Echo Hills: North/South, in first with 57% were Muriel McIntosh with Ross Fletcher. In second, tied with 56% were Joan Galley with Joyce Burtch and Judy Neimann with Maria Lehoczky. East/West in first with 65% were Reet Murray with Bill Sandford. In second with 55% were Robert Van der Mullen with Barbara Nease.

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Saturday, August 31: Bid Euchre at the Staanworth Court: Jack Chilton was first with 271 and Norm Lee was second with 269. Pat Roussel, Ruth Kellett and Marcel Roussel each found a hidden score. Jack Chilton won the one and only moonshot.

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Monday, September 3: Euchre with the Friendship Club played at St. Paul's: Norm Lee and Lynda Jones each won lone hands. High scores went to Fern Donnelly and Iris Taylor. Wayne Jones and Pearl Cowan took the low scores. Lynda Jones, Fern Donnelly and Pearl Cowan won the draws.

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Bid Euchre at the Kinmount Legion: Marjorie Paradis was first and Dorothy McElwain was second. Marjorie Paradis, Marg Viney, Verna Crego, Pat Roussel and Esther Lee won a moonshot. Ruth Kellett and Dorothy McElwain 'shared the wealth'.

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Cribbage at the Minden Legion: Stan Walters was number one and Maxine Cross was in second. Dorothy Walters, Frank Campagnolo and Don Burch won the draws.

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Euchre at Club 35: Tom Farr won the 50/50 draw. Sharon Evans won lone hands. High scores went to Margaret Fletcher and Marcel Lamothe. Low scorers were Mary Schad and Stan Dutka. Jean Randell took home the baloney. Now, because Sharon Evans won lone hands she was not able to claim her high score of 97, won in 10 games. Highest score at Club 35. There is a rule which says one can only win one category in a night; or something like that!! So congratulations to Sharon in spite of the rule!!

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Tuesday, August 28: Bid Euchre for Seniors at the Minden Legion: In first was Jean Scadden, second, Pat Scadden, third Pat Roussel and fourth Marcel Roussel. Now wasn't that a family affair!! Isabel Cherwenka, Pat Scadden, Jack Chilton and Elva Paisley each won a moonshot. Stan Walters, Helen Henderson, Ida Young and Dorothy Walters found hidden scores.

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Tuesday, September 4: Bid Euchre for Seniors at the Minden Legion: Ruth Kellett was first, Gala Stamp second, Marcel Roussel third and Stan Walters in fourth. Helen Henderson and Pearl Cowan won a moonshot. Mary Coltman, Lynda Jones, Ann Baker and Mildred St. Thomas found the hidden scores.

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Contract bridge at Stanhope: Three slams were bid and made that afternoon; one of them was a grand slam, (the first this year), and most spectacular was the fact that Eddie Jones figured in all three of them. Eddie Jones played the grand slam with Harold Cox and the other two small slams, one with Frank Jones, her husband, and the other one with Dorothy Strype. Needless to say Eddie Jones was the high scorer of the day with 6290. Her husband Frank Jones was second with a close 6260. Stella McMillan was third with 5970 followed by Mary McNeice in fourth with 5970. Leonardo McNeice won the magic number. The special award, L.M.A.C.A., went to Beth Crutchley. (Lend Me A Crutch Award).

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Wednesday, September 5: Duplicate bridge at Parklane: North/South in first with 65% were Nick Lehoczky with Sharon Carruthers. In second with 58% were Mayme Douglas with Reet Murray. East/West in first with 62% were Jacqui and Kelly Metcalf. In second with 55% were Joyce Burtch with Norma Crewson.

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Euchre at the Kinmount Legion: Joan Pappas was high woman with Emily Harvie second and Kathy Whiteside and Isa Hilyer tied for low. High man was Danny Pappas, second Jim Corbett and low Sally Taylor. Joan Pappas won lone hands and Emily Harvie and Sally Taylor 'shared the wealth'.

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Bid Euchre at Stanhope: Jerry Schad, Margaret Fletcher and Willie Cox won the moonshot. High 'pinks' were Willie Cox, 279, Gala Stamp, 293 and Sharon Evans, 327. High 'whites' were Jack Cox, 288, Chris Clarke, 302 and David Lamb, 323.

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Good luck and good fun at cards in the week to come!!

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FOR SALE: 1978 Buick LeSabre, good mechanical condition. $600. 286-4851. 9B

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WANTED: DZ driver seeks work, Carnarvon-Minden area. Please call Tom 489-2861. 8D9AB

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**STANHOPE CRAFT SALE**
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Stanhope Firefighter's Hall,
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Saturday, September 29 &
Sunday, September 30.
**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**
While you're out on the Studio Tour, drop in and see over 20 crafters. Then take time for a quick lunch with us. Soup, sandwich, dessert, coffee or tea, all for only $5.00. All profits go to the Stanhope Park Playground Equipment Fund. For more information or to rent a table call **Darlene 489-3312.** 9A&C

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**Highlands Parent Child**
**Mother Goose Program**
A free, fun, friendly, relaxed morning for parents and children aged 0-30 months learning rhymes, songs and stories together. Find new ways to deal with fussy times; support your child's social skills, self esteem and language skills. 10 week session begins in Minden September 17, in Haliburton September 18. Childcare is available. Register by calling CHACE 457-2989 or 286-1770 or Family Services 457-5345. 9AB

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The Family of
**BESSIE BURK**
Invite her relatives & friends
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**90th BIRTHDAY**
Saturday, September 15th
From 2-4 p.m. at
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Haliburton Dance Arts Inc.**
Join us for our 6th year!
We have grown!
2 fully equipped studios in Haliburton and now a Minden location to serve you better!
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Haliburton Highlands
Field Naturalists
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Join us for a presentation
On Forest Health by
Brian Cross
**Wednesday, September 19,**
**2001**
Haliburton Museum at
7:30 p.m.
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WEIGHT WATCHERS**
**WINNING POINTS**
**PROGRAM.** Join the Community Meeting in Minden. Registration/Week 1 Meeting Wednesday, September 12, 5:30 p.m. Minden Community Centre. SPECIAL OFFER with 20 or more members **PAY FOR 12 WEEKS AND GET 2 WEEKS FREE!** Minimum number of members required to join for series to begin. All members required to pay for the full series on September 12. Call 1-800-461-2246 for more information. 9B

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**Minden Old Timers**
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**Hockey Registration**
The team selection will take place September 18th. Season will commence September 26th. For more information call Dorian Malloy 489-1646 or pick up a registration form at the Minden Post Office. 9BC

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**Annual General Meeting**
**Haliburton Highlands**
**Outdoors Association**
Sunday, Sept. 30/01
10 a.m. Haliburton
Fish Hatchery
County Rd. # 1
Guest speakers, club updates, election of officers for 2001-2002, refreshments, 4 wheeler draw at noon. Bring a friend. If you wish to stand for election or volunteer in any way, please let your intentions known at this meeting. 9B

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**BRIDGE & EUCHRE**
**PARTY**
Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2001
1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Hyland Crest Auditorium
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Refreshments & Prizes
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Join H.A.R.C. (Haliburton Association of Recreational Canoeists)** on Sunday, September 16th for a paddle down the Gull River to Gull Lake. Meet at the Minden Rotary Park. Starting time 1:30 p.m. BBQ to follow, please bring your own food, utensils, drink, etc. For more information, please call **Graham at 286-6394.** 9B

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**50th WEDDING**
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**Join the artist**
**For refreshments**
**Saturday, September 15th**
**2 to 4 p.m.**
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## YARD SALES

GARAGE SALE
**September 15th**
**10 a.m. - ???**
Furniture, dishes, bikes, books. Barnum Lake Wood Road off County Rd. # 1, 5th house on left.

## AUCTION SALES

**AUCTION SALE: Saturday, September 15th at 10:30 a.m.** Contents from the Estate of the **late Irene Jewell**, 858 Woodville Rd. Woodville. (approx. 5 km east of Woodville on Kawartha Lakes Road #9). Antiques to include 9 pc. Oak dining suite (round table/6 chairs & china cabinet/sideboard), pressback rocker, several chests of drawers, vanity dresser/mirror, humpback trunk, table/floor lamp, fancy Hero parlour stove, silver tea service (circa 1900), wooden chairs, tin breadbox, crocks & #6 crock churn, old baby bottles, fine assortment of glass/china (Carnival, Cranberry, Nippon, Noritake, Royal Vistas ware etc.), fern stand, household items, Moffatt self-cleaning stove, small chest freezer, washer/dryer, ¾ bed, dressers, rockers, old school desks, old child's sleigh, linens, 4x8 snooker table w/accessories (excellent condition), garden tiller, Electrolux shampooer, new Danby A/C unit, Bolens 8 h.p. riding mower, Northtrail garden utility trailer, plus many more interesting items too numerous to mention. Lunch, No Reserve. Managed by **MacMillan Auctions**. For information please **call (705) 374-5511 or 374-4852.** 9B

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## CARDS OF THANKS

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It has been a pleasure to coordinate it for the past seven years.
***Joan Sobil.***

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**The organizing committee** would like to thank everyone involved in making our First Annual Lions Walk for Dog Guides a success. Through your generous support we were able to raise $4,377. A special thanks to the following: Nancy Crowther of Paulmac's Minden, Heather Hope, JoEllen Ingram, Phyllis Kernohan, McMahon Feeds & Needs, Ralph Hodgson, Haliburton County Fair Board-Paul Walker, Gwen Robinson, Mary Minto and Wendy Bartlett, Township of Minden Hills, The Times, Minden and the Haliburton County Echo. Because of your support we have made someone's today and tomorrow a whole lot brighter.
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## AT REST

**HENDERSON, Evelyn**
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At Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home in Minden on Friday evening, August 31, 2001 in her 89th year. Beloved wife of the late Oscar Henderson. Loving mother of Darlene and her husband Gary McKnight of Haliburton. Lovingly remembered by her grandchildren Cory (Bibi), Jodie (Bill) and Gavin (Cathy) and her great grandchildren Nikita, Samuel, Savanna, Adam, Rene and Matthew. Also lovingly remembered by the adopted family of Jim & Eleanor Harrison and their children, Michele (Greg), Wanita (Jim), and their boys Duncan and Ben. Predeceased by her brothers Harold and Milton. Friends were invited to call at the Haliburton Community Funeral Home, Hwy #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209 on Sunday evening, September 2, 2001 from 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Monday morning, September 3, 2001 at 11 o'clock. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Haliburton.
As expressions of sympathy, donations to St. George's Anglican Church Building Fund or the Hyland Crest Resident Council Fund would be appreciated by the family.

## AT REST

**GIBBONS, Cecil Garnet**
*(Resident of Horseshoe Lake)*
Passed away peacefully at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay on September 5th, 2001. In his 89th year. Beloved husband of the late Gladys Ina Gibbons (nee Adams). Dear father of Hazel (Nick) Stavroff of Barrie, Mel of Queenston, Kay (John) Campbell of Victoria, B.C., Jerry Gibbons of Victoria B.C., Verla (Jim) Bryce of Brampton, Alice (John) Shank of St-Mary's, Cecil "Sonny" (June) of Brampton and grandfather of 20 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main Street, Minden on Friday and Saturday, September 7 and 8, 2001. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel, Saturday, at 1 p.m. Interment followed at the Minden Cemetery. Memorial Donations to the Sick Children's Hospital would be appreciated by the family.

## IN MEMORIAM

**JOHNSTON, Ellwood** – who left us suddenly September 12, 1985.
*There is a link*
*Death cannot sever,*
*Love and Remembrance*
*Last forever.*
Sadly missed by
***Wife Ruby & children***

## AT REST

**SEARS, Ronald Brian**
Suddenly at home on Friday, September 7, 2001 in his 33rd year. Ron, loving husband and best friend of Kelly Sears (nee Moffat). Proud father of Joshua David. Dear son of Dorothy Sears and Ronald and Susan Sears. Dear son-in-law of Carol and Don Hill. Dear brother of Cheryl, Trevor, Janie and Chris. Brother-in-law of Kim, John, Tricia and Russell. Favourite uncle of Alyshia, Amanda, Justin, James and Sarah. Funeral Services were held on Monday, September 10, 2001.
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